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HEADQUARTERS, EIGHTH UNITED STATES ARMY
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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

ARC

MEMORANDUM FOR All Eighth United States Army Assigned Soldiers and Civilians

SUBJECT: Eighth United States Army (EUSA) Command Policy Letter # 18 --
Responsibility for Funding, Equipping, and training American Red Cross Emergency-
Essential (E-E) Personnel.

1. Purpose. To assign responsibility for Funding, Equipping, and training American Red Cross Emergency-Essential Personnel.

2. Background. The EECs have been a vital link throughout history and are required to ensure the success of future military operations. As a result of lessons learned from previous conflicts, it is imperative that American Red Cross EEC personnel are properly funded, trained, and equipped as done with military counterparts.

3. Discussion. Commanders, managers and supervisors will ensure the proficiency and allow training time, as outlined in Memorandum, assistant Chief of Staff, G3, EUSA, EAGC-TD, dated 16 March 1999, subject: Mandatory individual Training Requirements for Eighth U.S. Army Emergency-Essential Civilians (EEC) for assigned American Red Cross EECs. Currently, 14 Red Cross positions in USFK have been designated as EEC, 12 of which belong to EUSA.

a. The executive agent at each installation with American Red Cross EECs will fund the training and equipping of those personnel as a high priority requirement.

b. Units will ensure American Red Cross EECs are integrated into their units' existing individual and collective EEC training programs. Commanders, managers and supervisors should take the appropriate action if an American Red Cross EEC fails to meet and maintain the mandatory training requirements.

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